

SHAWN PLEASES LARGE NUMBER

Dance Numbers Of Past,
Present, Future Given
By Male Artists

RED RYDER



DISCOVERED



—By Fred Harman



HATCH LIKES MURPHY FOR SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Senator Hatch, Democrat, New Mexico, told reporters today that he believed Attorney General Murphy would be an excellent choice for the supreme court vacancy.

"Of course everyone knows that my personal choice for the supreme court vacancy is Circuit Judge Sam G. Burton of New Mexico," said Hatch, a member of the senate judiciary committee which will pass on any nomination.

So far as Attorney General Murphy's elevation to the bench is concerned, it is my judgment that he would be an excellent choice, especially under existing circumstances, would anticipate his quick confirmation by the senate should the president nominate him.

RICHLAND PARISH TO GET ALLOTMENT

The officers of Representative New V. Mills have been informed that WPA allotment of \$12,163 has been approved for the construction and reconstruction of public roads in Richland parish.

The Richland parish police jury has agreed to accept the allotment.

MAIZIE CALLS ON THE PRESIDENT



BANKERS' MEET IS SCHEDULED

Agricultural Committee
Of State Association To
Assemble Friday

LINING UP AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS



MARBLE MACHINES OBTAINED

FILES 60TH PLEA OF HABEAS CORPUS

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SHORT COURSE AT GRAYSON

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LIONS HEAR TALK ON SERVICE CLUBS

The feature of the weekly meeting of the Lions club at Hotel Francis Tuesday evening was a talk by J. W. Madden, international president of Y. M. C. A. Men's clubs, on "Civil and Service Clubs." Entertainment was furnished by Miss Betty Rhinehart, vocalist, with Mrs. Dallas Goss at the piano.

RED CROSS SPENDS \$500,000 IN WAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The American Red Cross has spent or is spending more than \$500,000 for the relief of persons in the European war areas.

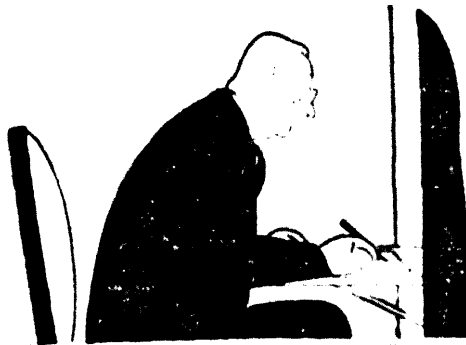
President Roosevelt, who is president of the Red Cross, told reporters yesterday that the total included \$25,000 sent to Finland for civilian uses and \$16,000 for purchase of medicines in London for shipment to Finland.

In response to questions, Mr. Roosevelt said he thought the activity of former President Hoover in raising funds for Finnish relief was fine. He added that he understood Mr. Hoover had been cooperating with the Red Cross.

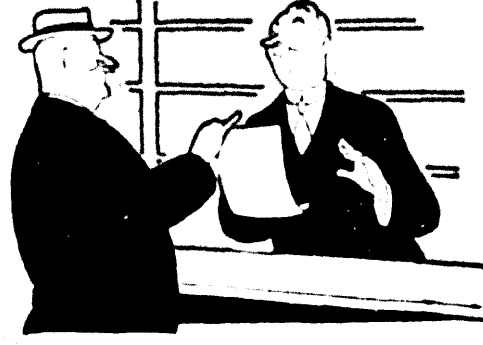
4 HELD FOR ESPIONAGE
BRUSSELS, Dec. 13.—(AP)—An Italian citizen of German origin and three other persons were arrested at Liege today on espionage charges. Police said the Italian operated a small cafe frequented by soldiers, and that in his room there was a general staff map of the Cheratte region, as well as a machine-gun and pistol.



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VISITORS LAUD YULE LIGHTING

Many Say Illumination In Monroe Most Effective Seen

The Christmas illumination in the business district of Monroe is receiving more than ordinary attention from strangers passing through the city, according to W. D. H. Rodriguez, commissioner of finance and public utilities. They say it is the most effective they have seen anywhere in this section of the country.

The elaborate decoration of the business district during the Christmas season has become an annual custom here. This year the lights are turned on December 2.

Decorated streets are lighted with colored lights interspersed at intervals with large lanterns from the old vanguard of the city.

At 5:30 p. m. street lights and a huge display of colored lights will be turned on. The city will be brightly lit for the season.

Further down the street, the lights will be turned on. The city will be brightly lit for the season.

IF THROAT IS SORE
IF A COLD has given you a miserable sore throat, here's how to relieve it. Suffering. DO THIS NOW. Make a small lamp of VapoRub on your tongue and feel the comforting heat. Then slowly slide down your throat—bringing relief to your throat. DO THIS TONIGHT. Put a little VapoRub on your tongue and feel the comforting heat. Then slowly slide down your throat—bringing relief to your throat.

Program Announced For Good Fellows Benefit For Youngsters At Paramount

Song-And-Dance Revue, 'Our Gang' Comedy Added To Show

The complete program for the Good Fellows "food benefit" show for the youngsters was announced Wednesday by Benny Bicknell, manager of the Paramount theater, where the program will be presented Saturday morning, starting at 10 o'clock.

Every boy and girl is invited to attend and not only see a fine program but assist in a most worthy cause. The admission charge will be any article of food, preferably that which is not perishable, but anything that may be placed in the Good Fellows basket to be delivered to the city's less fortunate on Christmas morning.

The program will be particularly appealing to the younger generation, from the "Our Gang" comedy, featuring young stars, Bonita Granville, Frankie Thomas, one of the original "Dead End Kids" is featured in the comedy. And the comedy will be followed by a "Our Gang" picture, "Time Out For Lessons" and "The Gang in the Park".

The feature film, "The Gang in the Park", is a comedy starring Bonita Granville, Frankie Thomas, and other young stars. The film is a comedy about a group of children who go to a park and have a series of adventures.

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BONITA GRANVILLE

RAILROAD WILL HAVE BOOSTER'S MEETING TONIGHT

The December meeting of the Missouri Pacific Booster Club will be held at the club house Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

The program will comprise community singing led by Dale Cobb with the singing of the national anthem. The address of the evening will be by Edgar C. Fennis, Jr., of Alexandria.

A musical show will be given by 25 members of the Alexandria Boosters Club. Refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed. The program will be presented at 7:30 p. m. at the club house.

EDGAR C. FENNIS, JR. TO WED.
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 13.—(P)—Edgar C. Fennis, Jr., 32, "Shimmy" to swing hard fans and his pretty blonde sister, Carmine Calhoun, 21, plan to wed tonight.

NEW DRUG FOR SYPHILIS USED

Powder Swallowed In Capsule Form Recommended To Physicians

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—(P)—A new drug for syphilis which is the first of its kind to be effective when taken by mouth has been released to doctors generally.

The drug, a powder that can be swallowed in capsule form, was discovered at Stanford university's medical school and has been tested for almost four years in some of the nation's leading clinics.

Formal acceptance of the medicine was given today in the Journal of the American Medical Association by its council on pharmacy and chemistry. It can be obtained only by prescription.

Heretofore the standard treatment for syphilis has been alternate injections of arsenic compounds into the vein and bismuth compounds into the hip muscles.

The new drug, also a compound of the mental bismuth and called bisminol, permits elimination of bismuth injections—but it must be taken in conjunction with injections of one of the arsenical compounds.

Its discoverer, Dr. Paul J. Hanzlik, head of Stanford's pharmacology department, and his associates found that it would do what other bismuth compounds apparently were unable to do when taken orally—resist digestion and penetrate the stomach and intestinal walls to be absorbed into the blood stream.

Such penetration is necessary to reach and help kill syphilis germs, which spreads to all the body's organs and tissues. Seven years of exacting experiments were required before a few physicians were given the new drug for preliminary tests, the Stanford men said.

Since taking bisminol mass at home will eliminate some trips to the doctor's office, physicians hope that this added convenience and economy would encourage or permit a continuation of treatment by patients who might otherwise fail to return for injections at the proper time.

Because of this, they believe, the simplified treatment may prove to be one of the greatest advances in syphilis therapy since the German bacteriologist, Paul Ehrlich, found a drug, arsenamine or salvarsan, that would kill the germs.

Ehrlich's arsenic compound was called "606" because he discovered it after that many trials. Bisminol mass "can be used with caution for those individuals whose business or profession necessitates occasional absences from the physician's supervision," the A. M. A. Journal said.

"It should prove useful for persons who have unusual difficulty in taking injections into the muscle because of resultant pain and hardening of the muscles," the Journal said.

"If it were thus marketed, the product would be a real danger and detriment to the public health," the Journal said.

INTEREST SHOWN IN REVIVAL MEET

Services at the Assembly of God in West Monroe are continuing with good interest. The service Tuesday night was distinctively marked with the presence and power of the Holy Spirit during the song service when the people stood for several minutes with uplifted hands in praise and worship to the Lord, some shouting, some crying in sheer, unadvised expression of worship to the Lord.

The evangelist spoke effectively using as a subject "The Guest Chamber" (Mark 14:14), applying it spiritually to the experience of Christians showing that each one should make his heart a room where Jesus is invited as a permanent guest and communion and fellowship maintained with Him.

A number of out of town visitors and ministers were in attendance, among them was Rev. R. C. Jones, pastor of the Assembly of God church in El Dorado, Ark.

Friday is announced as a day of fasting and prayer and the service that night will be a divine healing service. The evangelist will speak on Divine healing and pray for the sick. Song service begins at 7:15 p. m. each day.

(N)ICE WAY TO KEEP COOL



Proof that the day of the red-hot mama is over is this picture of Vina Walker, cool headed Los Angeles polar girl, who holed up in a cake of ice for more than 20 minutes. She gives icemen the cold shoulder as they haul her out, after she had failed to respond to signals over microphone in her rigid marathon. Vina's frozen sleep was no health treatment, but merely an attempt to break the world's record of 20 minutes, 53 seconds in a cold coffin.

UNLOCKED SHOP LOOTED
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 13.—(P)—Frank S. Foster, proprietor of a tennis shop, finished work and went home, forgetting to lock the store. He also forgot to lock his safe. Nothing happened? You're wrong. Somebody stole \$15 in nickels from the safe.

FEWER AUDIENCES GRANTED
VATICAN CITY, Dec. 13.—(P)—Pope Pius XII is granting fewer private audiences to permit more time for study and work. General audiences already have been practically suspended because of the small numbers of newswriters recently seeking those privileges.

L. S. U. ALUMS ARE TO MEET

President Hebert Expected To Attend Assembly Here

Harry Taylor, secretary of the Louisiana State university alumni association, has called a group meeting to be held in the new library building of the Northeast Junior college, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

All alumni of the Fifth congressional district are invited to attend the meeting. Among those who will attend will be acting President Paul Hebert of the state university and other officials.

Similar group meetings are being held in other cities and towns of the state. One similar to the one planned here is to be held in Alexandria, Wednesday night.

BRAKES TOO GOOD
WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 13.—(P)—The brakes on Cecil Crowl's automobile are too good. To avert a collision last night he slipped them on. The chassis of the car stopped—but the body didn't. Crowl found the front seat almost directly over the front wheels.

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By H. I. PHILLIPS

PLIGHT OF A TURKEY UNDER A DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION

There are many who believe that the American people are not yet ready to accept a democratic administration. They are still in the grip of the old ideas of a strong man, a strong government, a strong nation. They are still in the grip of the old ideas of a strong man, a strong government, a strong nation.

WINTER COMES EARLY IN FINLAND



Jimmie Fidler In Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 13. (AP)—Jimmie Fidler, the actor who played the part of the "Red" in the picture "The Red-Headed Stranger," is in Hollywood for a short time. He is here to make a picture for the Fox film company.

Prosperous Christmas Season

The Christmas season is a time of joy and happiness for many people. It is a time when families gather together and celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. It is a time when children receive gifts and adults enjoy the company of their loved ones.

LOOKS THAT WAY

It looks that way that the Christmas season is a time of joy and happiness for many people. It is a time when families gather together and celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ.

Justice Steps Out

Justice has stepped out in the case of the man who was accused of the murder of a woman. The man has been charged with the crime and is now in custody.

Bund Marches On

The Bund has marched on in the city of New York. The march was held in support of the German cause and was attended by a large number of people.

Pork Puzzle

Pork is a puzzle to many people. It is a meat that is loved by many but hated by others. It is a meat that is often the subject of jokes and stories.

Distracting

There was a special dispatch from Aiken, S. C., in the social columns of a New York newspaper recently. It told of a man who was distracted by a dog.

Somehow the idea of a gentleman going all that distance, and to all that trouble, to attend a dove hunt has a fascination.

Tiger hunts, elephant hunts, fox hunts and even 'coon hunts all have heard of and read of. The pursuit of the larger carnivora has even been depicted on the screen.

But a dove hunt is new. Does one hunt doves from a blind or in open field with a dog? What kind of dog? Do doves come in braces and what is the bag limit? How are doves cooked, where served during dinner and with what wines?

Things like this are coming up all the time to take one's mind off the war.

Washington Daybook

15 Years Ago

Family Health

By Dr. M. J. Fidler

Our Children

By ANGELO PATRI

ACCURACY

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MOPSY

By GLADYS KLEVER

WHERE WILL I FIND THE FORTUNE TELLER?



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IN NEW YORK

By George Jones

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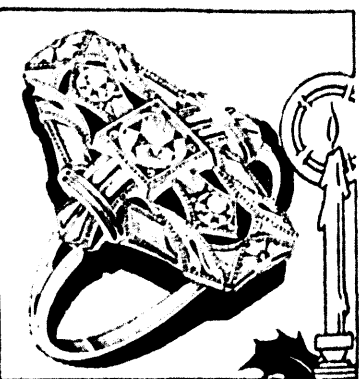
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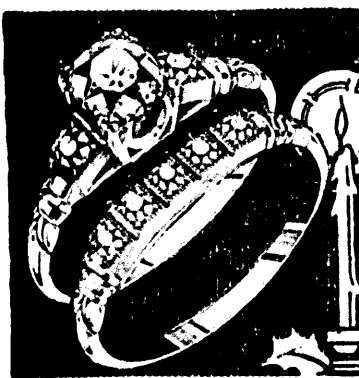
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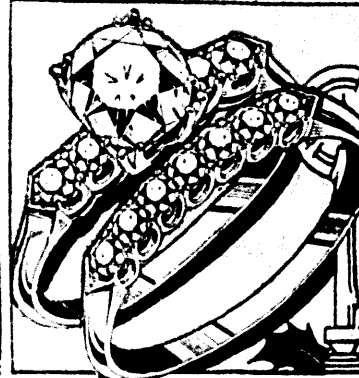
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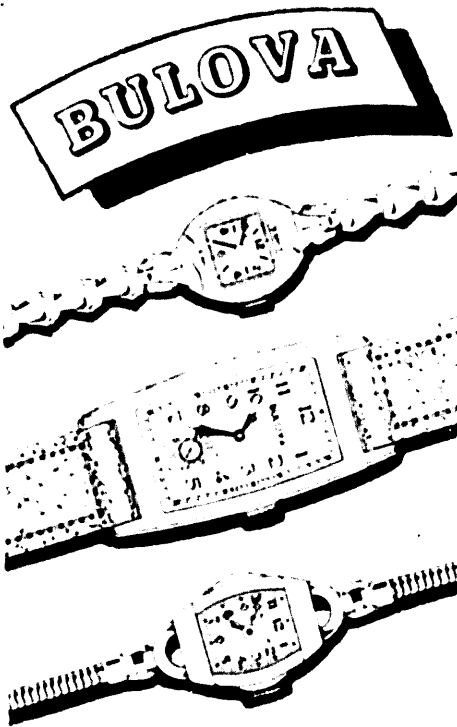
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15-Jewel Man's Elgin
75c Weekly

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15-Jewel Ladies' Elgin
75c Weekly

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17-Jewel Bulova "Miss America"
75c Weekly

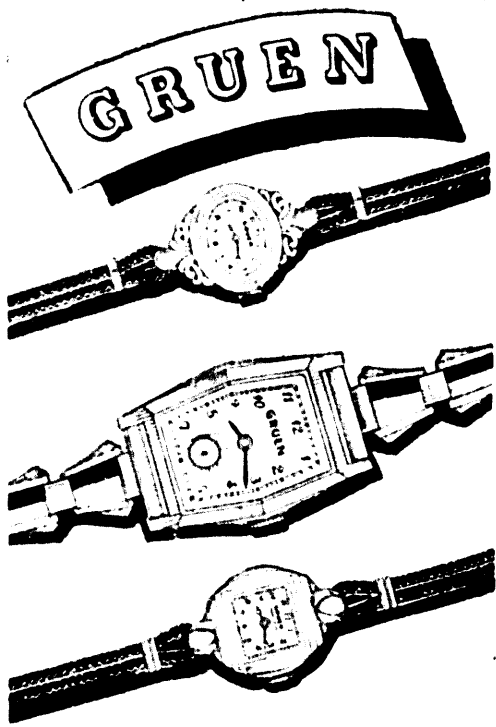
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Bulova "Minute Man" 17 Jewels
75c Weekly

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Ladies' Bulova "Lorma"
75c Weekly

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Ladies' Gruen 15 Jewels
75c Weekly

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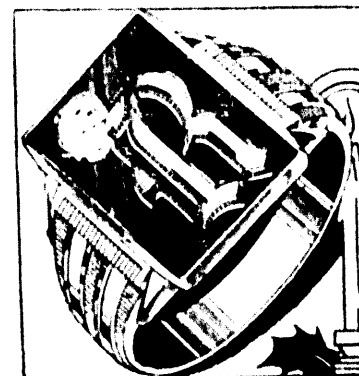
Man's 17-Jewel Gruen
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Ladies' Gruen 15 Jewels
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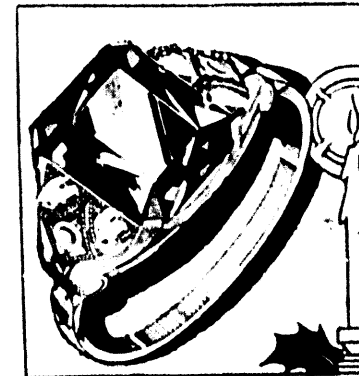
PERSONAL GIFTS—Inexpensive—but So Impressive



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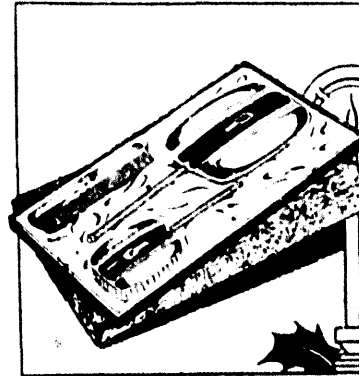
Massive new mounting holds an initial on only \$1.50.
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For "HER"
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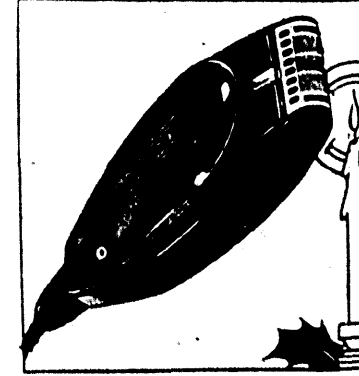
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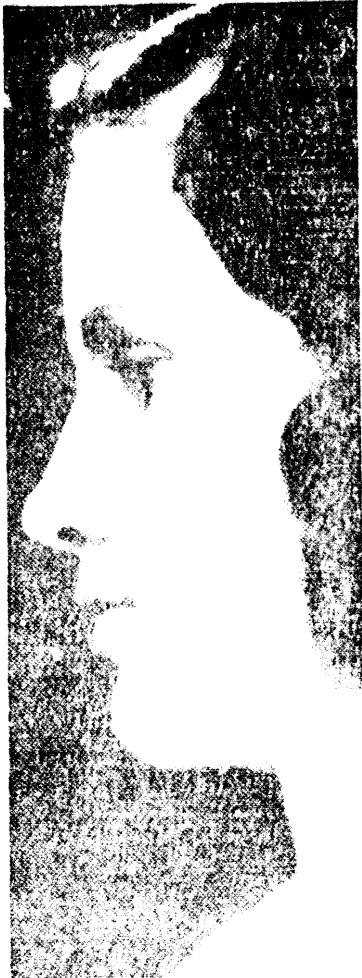
- Sunbeam Mixer **\$23⁷⁵**
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X-RAY REVEALS PAINTINGS NOT OF SHAKESPEARE

Photographic Expert Claims Three Are Of Earl Of Oxford

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A photographic expert has claimed that three of the most famous portraits of William Shakespeare are not the work of the great dramatist, but are copies of a portrait of the Earl of Oxford.

HEIRESS SUED



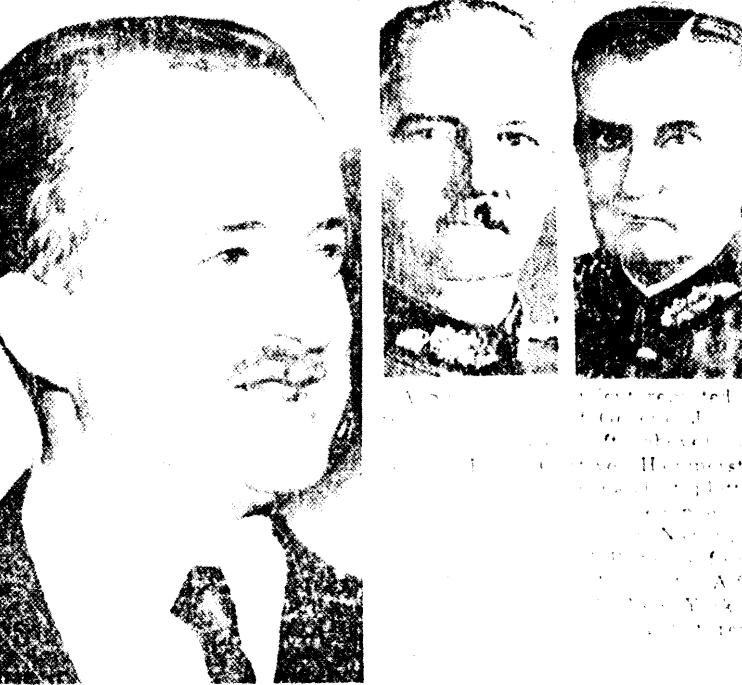
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A woman, identified as the daughter of a wealthy family, has been sued for breach of contract.

IMPLY DEMAND FOR EXPULSION FROM LEAGUE

blockade from Murmansk, Russia, had docked safely in Bremerhaven.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A demand for the expulsion of a country from the League of Nations has been implied.

ARMY PLOT ON HITLER REPORTED



LONDON WITH ROOSEVELT ON FOREIGN VIEWS

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A report has been received from a reliable source that a plot was being hatched by certain army officers.

NOE SAYS RACE BETWEEN LONG AND HIMSELF

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NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Noe said that he was not interested in the race between himself and Earl Long.

TAFT ADVISES EVENED BUDGET IN TWO YEARS

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Taft advised that the budget should be evened within two years.

SOVIET VESSEL GOES AGROUND DURING STORM

MARTIN SNYDER GETS NEW TRIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A Soviet vessel went aground during a severe storm.

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JAPAN HOPEFUL OF PACT WITH UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Japan is hopeful of reaching a pact with the United States.

MANY COMPLAINTS OF SABOTAGE RECEIVED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Many complaints of sabotage have been received.

COUGHING COLDS

HEFF ACTION THAT TAKES THE WORST OF THE NICK OUT OF TACKY TONGUE COUGHS DUE TO COLDS RUB CHEST WELL WITH PENETRO

DEATHS

WILLIAM DUNCAN MENDEL
TAMM, ALBANY, N.Y.

PAVING BIDS ASKED
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WAR VET HELD AFTER FAMILY DIES IN CRASH

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A war veteran was held after his family died in a crash.

SAD HOMES ARE IN PROSPECT

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REPORT RUSSIA TO DEAL BLOW

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A report has been received that Russia is planning to deal a blow.

OLD AGE PAY CHECKS WILL START SOON

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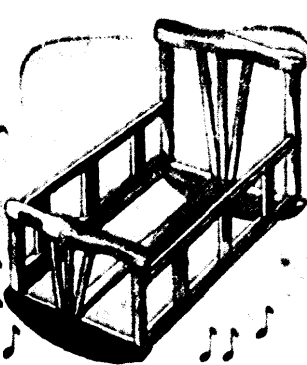
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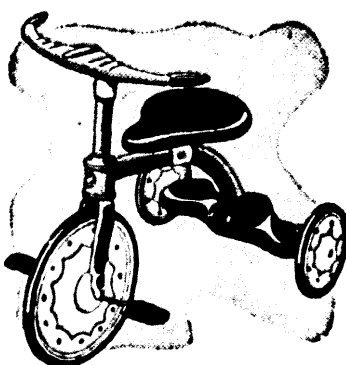
16-PC. DOLL LAYETTE SET

2.29



MUSICAL CRADLE

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STURDY PEDAL BIKE

98c



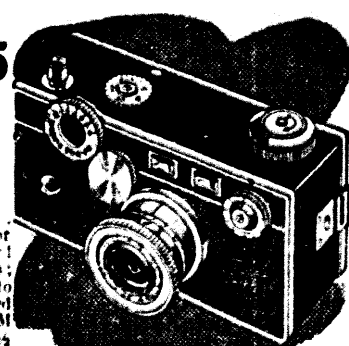
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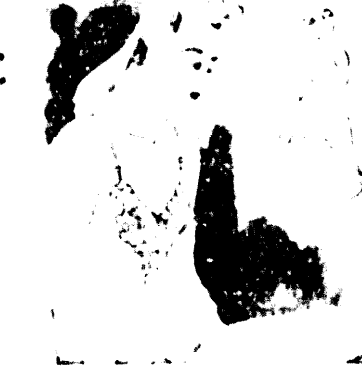
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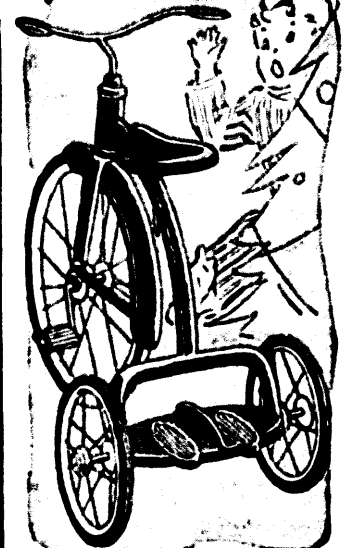
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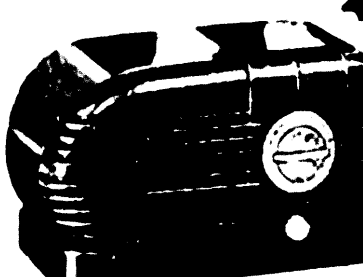
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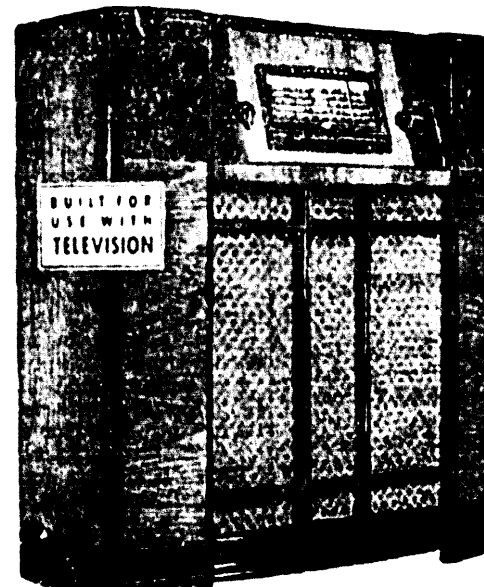
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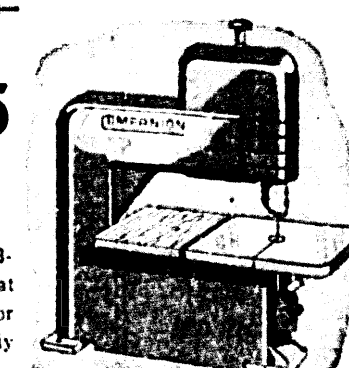
Just see what you get, during Sears Pre-Christmas Sale! Gorgeous, rich-toned new Silvertone lowboys with dozens of new features PLUS the aerial sets pictured at the left, which improve the receptivity of your set! See these marvelous radios today!

New 3-Wheel Bandsaw

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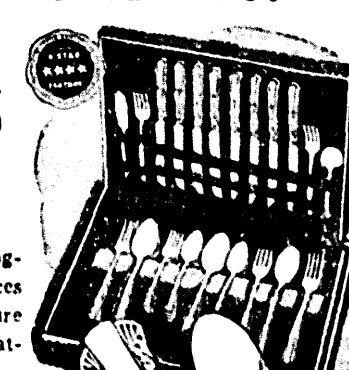


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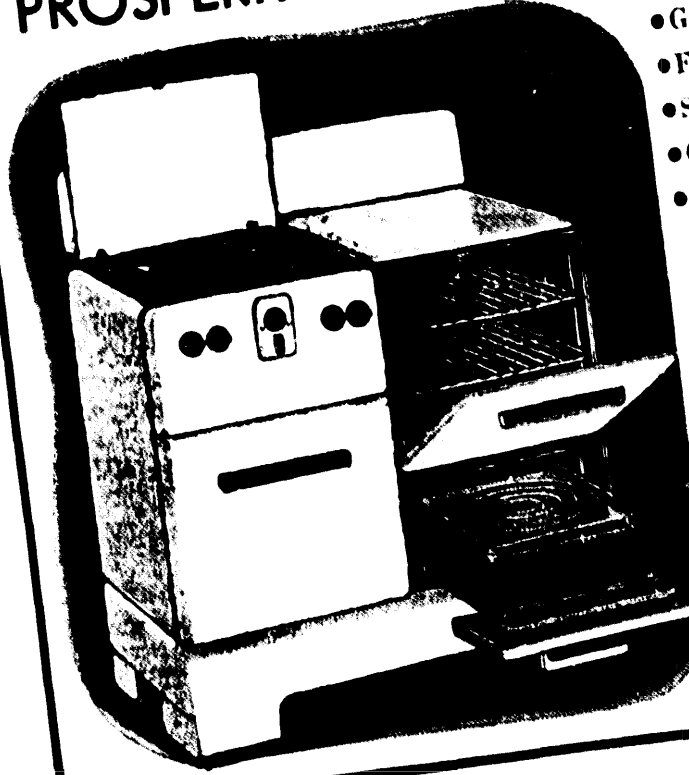
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89c

Here's one gift that will be appreciated in every home. Two thick, fluffy, absorbent towels and two cloths in washfast colors.



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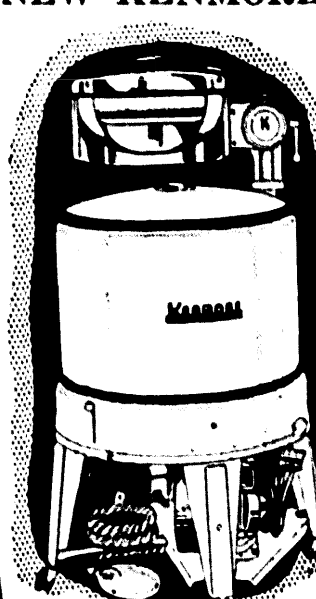
A Gift the Entire Family Will Appreciate!

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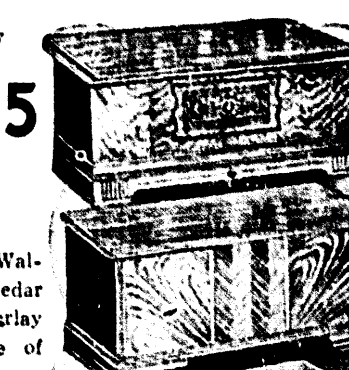
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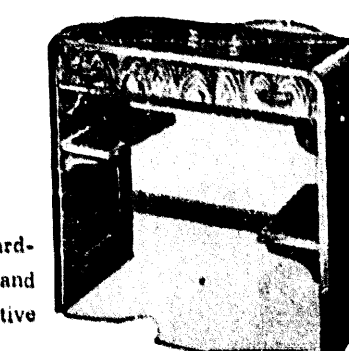


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PELICAN SQUAD HEAVY FAVORITE OVER TALLULAH

Powerful Homer Aiming for Second Class A Title in Three Years

Former Greenies Say This Year's Team Not As Strong

However, Members of '32 Bowl Eleven Think '39 Reserves Better

By Mortimer Karger

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The former members of the 1932 Greenies Bowl Eleven think the 1939 team is not as strong as the 1932 team. However, they think the 1939 team has better reserves.

ALICE MARBLE IS VOTED TOP WOMAN ATHLETE FOR 1939

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Alice Marble, the tennis champion, was voted the top woman athlete for 1939.

BURNS, PARKER TAKE MATCHES ON MAT CARD

Mathes Substitutes For Hurt Ludwig; McGee Loses In Semi-Final

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AGGIES TO START WORK FOR GREEN WAVE FRIDAY

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SPORTS MIRROR

WRESTLING EAST NIGHT

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VALLEY LOOP PLAY TO BEGIN JAN. 2

VALLEY LOOP PLAY TO BEGIN JAN. 2. The Valley Loop play will begin on January 2.

Fights

Fights. A list of fights and boxing matches.

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RING GROUP FOR U.S. SUPERVISION

Most NBA Commissions Say Government Should Supervise Boxing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The National Boxing association agrees with Representative Ambrose J. Kennedy, Democrat, Maryland, that the prize-fight business should be investigated and supervised by a federal commission.

President Harvey L. Miller announced Tuesday that only 10 votes had been cast against Kennedy's proposal in a poll of the 28 state and city boxing commissions which comprise the association's membership.

The negative votes, he said, came from Massachusetts, Maryland, North Carolina, Illinois, Connecticut, Indiana, Virginia, Oklahoma, Iowa and Atlanta, Ga.

Kennedy has asked that having in mind the danger to the public health and safety of the prize-fight business, the government should take steps to regulate and supervise the industry.

A vote of 18 to 10 was taken at the annual meeting of the association in New York City last week.

The negative votes were cast by the commissions of the following states: Massachusetts, Maryland, North Carolina, Illinois, Connecticut, Indiana, Virginia, Oklahoma, Iowa and Atlanta, Ga.

The positive votes were cast by the commissions of the following states: New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York.

The association's headquarters are in New York City. It has a membership of 28 state and city boxing commissions.

The association's purpose is to promote the interests of the prize-fight business and to protect the public health and safety.

The association's members are the following: New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York.

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TARZAN



BOHGDU SWEEP KEYDO INTO HIS HAIRY ARMS. THE BOY WOULD SERVE TARZAN'S PURPOSE AS WELL AS ANY OTHER.



KEYDO FOUGHT LIKE A LITTLE LION, BUT THE APE HELD HIM STRONGLY.



BOHGDU TOOK TO THE TREES. THE APE'S FEARS ABATED IN THE THRILL OF FLYING, AS THEY TRAVELED FAR INTO THE NIGHT.



FINALLY THE APE SWERVED TOWARD A DISTANT CAMPFIRE. NEAR IT HE HALTED. KEYDO LOOKED DOWN, AGHAST AT WHAT HE SAW!

WHAT DID HE SEE?

By Edgar Rice Burroughs

TECH TO PLAY OUACHITA FIVE

Bulldogs Open Home Cage Schedule Tonight; Meet T. C. U. Friday

BOSTON, La., Dec. 13.—(Special)—The Bulldogs of the Tech gymnasium will open their home cage schedule tonight with a game against the T. C. U. Bulldogs.

The Bulldogs will play at 8 o'clock tonight against the T. C. U. Bulldogs. The game will be held at the Tech gymnasium.

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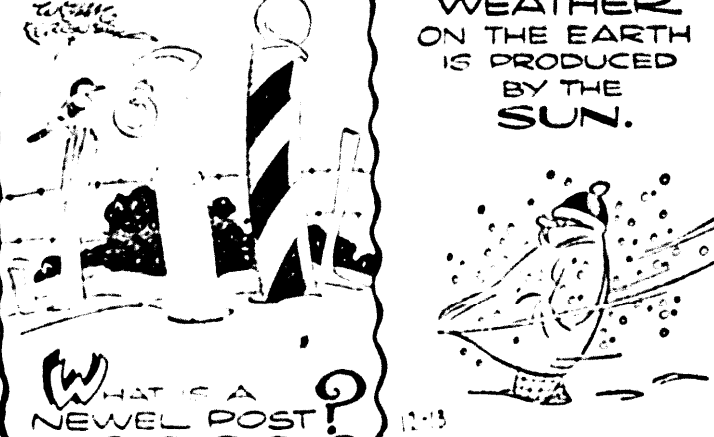
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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



PACK RATS PROTECT THEMSELVES FROM COYOTES BY PAVING THE ROADWAYS TO THEIR DENS WITH CLUSTERS OF SPINE-COVERED CACTUS. THE RATS CAN TRAVEL OVER IT SAFELY, BUT THE COYOTES CANNOT.



ALL WEATHER ON THE EARTH IS PRODUCED BY THE SUN.

ANSWER: The sun is a ball of fire at the foot of a stairway, or the one at the top of a stairway, or the one at the bottom of a stairway.

Old Man Mose Grove Is Still Very Much Alive

Nearly 40. Red Sox Mound Ace Has Many Innings Left in Flipper

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Bill Mose, 39, mound ace of the Boston Red Sox, is still very much alive. He is still very much alive.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Eddie Briets

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Fordham has been voted the best-dressed football team in the country. . . . A Chicago syndicate headed by Barney Ross has offered \$20,000 for the contract of Al Davis, up and coming New York welterweight. . . . One of the Southwest conference teams is shopping for a coach in the big city. . . . Jack Milley, the sportscaster, can expect plenty of mid-western fan mail from his blast at Nile Kinnick the other night. . . . Death of Doug Fairbanks recalls his all-time sports hero was Bobby Jones, the one and only. . . . Them as was there at the signing say Davey O'Brien's Philadelphia Eagle contract called for \$18,000 per—folding money in any league.

Too bad Gilbert and Sullivan are not alive and operating. . . . They would have had a field day at the baseball pow wow. . . . After the joint meeting of the two big leagues, for instance, when Judge Landis and the American league teamed up to rout the Nationals, they might have had the National league magnates chiding the judge by singing: "It is patent to the mob That his being made a nob Was effected by a job."

And the American leaguers chiming in with: "And a good job, too."

The Smith brothers (not the hack, back boys) are doing all right at Minnesota. Bruce is the soph football flash and Don the soph basketball sensation. . . . Boston papers have sent staff writers to Clemson for close-ups of the team which will meet Boston college in the Cotton Bowl.

Bernie Bierman is denying head had feelers from Vanderbilt, but what's that in his cheek-his tongue or that you-know-what chewing tobacco? . . . The Cuban government has allocated 100 G's to boost the prizes at the Oriental park race meeting opening December 23. . . . British football players are threatening

to strike unless their pay is raised from 10 shillings (about two bucks to you) per game.

Art Cohn, Oakland Tribune: "Latest recruit in the I'm-gonna-punch-Cohn-in-the-nose army is Ernie Lombardi, the 1939 Rip Van Winkle. . . . Don't over-match yourself, Ernie. . . . Heck, you couldn't hit .300—even in the National league."

Personal intelligence: Ed Boell, the New York university passer is ready to turn pro at the drop of a hat. . . . Powell Crosley, Jr., owner of the Reds, has been consoled by Gover Miles of New Mexico. . . . Joe Louis popped in to referee some amateur bouts and popped right out to second Holman Williams against Izzy Jannazzo at Scranton tonight. . . . Edwin (Rip) Collins, the ailing New Jersey High school griddle, has been getting better ever since Nile Kinnick went to see him. . . . Frank Dobson's next coaching stop will be the Newport News (Va.) Apprentice school. The Sailors weren't napping on that one. . . . Yankee Scout Johnny Haddock got a raise for an Xmas present. . . . O. K.?

Our old pal Uptown Dugan wires that it looks to him like Judge Landis has his National league friends right behind the hate ball.

And it was only a year ago, recalls Ed Scannell in the Worcester (Mass.) Evening Gazette, that Dr. Eddie Anderson's pals were sympathizing with him for quitting Holy Cross and going to Iowa.

EPPS TOURNAMENT TO BEGIN FRIDAY

EPPS La., Dec. 13.—(Special)—The annual Epps high school basketball tournament gets underway here Friday morning at 10 o'clock with 32 teams participating.

The drawing for bracketing of teams in both boys and girls' divisions was held Monday at Oak Grove with representatives of six schools present.

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